Guidelines for Abstract Submissions:

All submitted abstracts must include original research significant and relevant to food assistance for nutrition. Abstracts are due by August 31st and will be reviewed for relevance and quality. Authors will be notified of acceptance of their submission by September 8th. Submitting authors will be expected to present their abstract in the form of a poster during the Special Session: Online Poster Session portion of the Evidence Summit II to take place on October 7th from 12:15 to 13:00 pm EDT. Additionally, the poster will remain accessible for viewing throughout the duration of the event. Further detailed instructions for submitting authors will be emailed upon abstract acceptance.

Building on the first Evidence Summit held in 2018, this Summit will provide a forum to highlight new evidence related to food assistance for nutrition. This session welcomes research developed or published within the past 2 years to help provide relevant and new topics to enhance the evidence base and inform the future of food assistance for nutrition. Applicable thematic research areas include:

- Clinical research related to the prevention and treatment of wasting and stunting
- Development and innovation of specialized nutritious food products
- Programming strategies and policy implications for food assistance interventions
- Novel tools and technologies to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of food assistance for nutrition outcomes

Please submit a poster proposal that outlines the theme of research that will be highlighted and provide a clear conclusion and explanation of the direction of future research for food assistance.